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WATCH AND FOB FOR CHIEF FROM CITY'S FIREMEN

Chief Engineer Daniel E. Johnson of the Bridgeport fire department was last night presented with a gold watch and diamond fob in recognition of "his fair and impartial treatment" and in congratulation on his elevation to the post as head of the department. The presentation was made by John A. Leonard, president of the board, at the regular meeting. Every officer and member of the department contributed to the gift and a set of embossed resolutions accompanied the gift. The watch fob is a gold fobman's helmet and is engraved "Chief E. F. D. E. J." The initials of Chief Johnson, "D. E. J." are on the case of the watch.

Russian Territorials Called To Colors

Petrograd, Sept. 16.—An imperial ukase was issued today calling to the colors reserves of the territorial army. The Senate is instructed to determine the ages and numbers of the reserves and the districts from which they shall be called.

ALABAMA AIDS LIQUOR MEN CAUGHT BY NEW "DRY" LAW

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 16.—The Alabama Senate passed a public bill late yesterday permitting the shipment of quantities of stored liquors from the state. Prohibition recently became effective and the measure was designed to relieve distillers who were unable to ship stocks or to store them in Alabama for a period beyond the Federal license term.

WEATHER FORECAST

Forecast for Connecticut: Generally fair tonight and Friday; slightly cooler Friday; moderate variable winds.

General Conditions
Scattered showers have occurred during the last 24 hours in the western and southern districts and general showers in the lake region. There is no well defined storm area east of the Rocky Mountains. The temperatures are lower in the lake region but continue high in the eastern districts. The highest temperatures reported were 84 in Boston.

ALMANAC FOR TODAY

Sun rises 5:54 a. m.
Sun sets 6:01 p. m.
High water 4:18 p. m.
Moon sets 10:45 p. m.
Low water 11:07 p. m.

Crude oil prices were advanced 5 cents a barrel by the Ohio Oil Co.

Bed Bugs in the Bed

drive away your roomers and keep your friends from staying over night. They rather leave and say nothing, it is courtesy, but is not forgotten.

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DISTRICT OF BRIDGEPORT, ss., PROBATE COURT.

Sept. 16, A. D. 1915.
Estate of Nathan Hopkins Heft late of the town of Bridgeport in said district, deceased.

Upon the application of Frances Helene Heft, praying that the court of probate aforesaid, grant an order for a further limitation of time for the presentation of claims against said estate, as per application on file more fully appears, it is

Ordered.—That said application be heard and determined at the Probate Office, in Bridgeport, in said district, on the 31st day of September, A. D. 1915, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, and that notice be given of the pendency of said application and the time and place of hearing thereon, by publishing this order once in some newspaper having a circulation in said district and by causing a copy of this order to be left with, or sent by mail postpaid to the administrators of said estate addressed to them at their last known place of abode, on or before the 17th day of September, 1915, and return make to this court.

PAUL L. MILLER, Judge.

OFFERS TO PAY BACK TAXES FOR LAST 28 YEARS

That taxes have been unpaid on the Frank Sheridan estate for a period of 28 years was brought out last night at the regular meeting of the common council committee on claims in the city hall. The property is located in Lexington avenue and already a portion of 28 front has been taken by foreclosure by the city for certain tax liens.

Attorney Wm. H. Kelsey appeared last night for the heirs and offered to pay the back of all taxes on the property, \$469.73, which includes the sprinkling assessment, provided the city will abate the interest and give a quit claim deed for the portion of the property it has already taken. The committee discussed the matter at length but took no action.

Clerk Braithwaite was instructed to advise the tax assessors that the claims committee has no power to fix property valuations. Eighteen persons were before the board with requests for reductions in tax assessments. Some of these persons had filed lists of claims and the assessors had filed lists for them according to law. Others considered their assessments to high but had failed to appear before the board of relief. The claims committee refused to consider any of these claims. The petitioners said they had been referred to the committee by the assessors.

Elizabeth Kourke, through Attorney Hugh J. Levery, asked damages for injuries to herself and saddle horses, sustained while she was riding in Suburban avenue on August. A portion of the roadway caved in, and horse and rider were thrown.

SEPTEMBER WEDDINGS

GARNEAU-DARGAN.
Unusual simplicity will mark the wedding on Monday morning at 9 o'clock of Miss Veronica M. Dargan and Dr. Peter A. Garneau. The ceremony will be performed in St. Augustine's church with a nuptial mass, by the Rev. James B. Nihil. Miss Dargan will be attended by her sister, Miss Anna Dargan, and the groomsmen will be Thomas Shanley. Both the bride and her bridesmaid will wear attractive fall suits. The young couple will leave immediately after the ceremony on an extensive wedding trip, the destination of which they have not divulged.

Miss Dargan is an alumna of the City Normal school. For several years she has been one of the most popular younger teachers of the city, her school being Maplewood. She is a member of the Elizabeth Seton guild.

Dr. Garneau was graduated from the Georgetown High school and from the University of Maryland Dental school and has an extensive and growing practice in this city. He is a member of the Algonquin club. Miss Dargan is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Dargan, of 46 Washington terrace, and Dr. Garneau is the son of Mrs. Levi Garneau, of 50 Washington terrace.

GLEDHILL-LAUDER.
Mrs. Robert Lauder, and Samuel W. Gledhill, head of the firm of Gledhill & Co., were married last Saturday in Derby. Although their engagement was announced last winter, the news of their marriage came as a surprise to their numerous friends. The bride is the daughter of the late Joseph Pullman, at one time pastor of the First M. E. church, and is the sister of Judge John S. Pullman.

ST. RITA'S GUILD CLASSES TO HAVE BIG ATTENDANCE

More than 300 pupils are expected to register at the opening session of the classes of St. Rita's guild of the Sacred Heart church on Myrtle avenue Monday, Sept. 27.

The schedule and teachers follows: Monday, dressmaking, taught by Mrs. J. Connor; sociology, Miss Margaret Boylan.

Tuesday, plain sewing, Mrs. Charles Deas and Mrs. Leister; millinery, Mrs. Anna Dunn; Glee club meetings, Professor J. Hornum.

Wednesday, Bible study, Rev. R. F. Moore; embroidery work, Mrs. Hekey. Thursday, French, Miss M. Keane; practical education, such as arithmetic, grammar, geography, and literature, Miss Jane Dargan; stenography and typewriting, Miss A. Collins, open to both men and women.

Friday, nursing class, in charge of the nurses of St. Vincent's hospital, assisted by Miss Keating, Miss Donegan, and Mrs. Phelan; class in literature, Miss E. Page.

The scope of the educational work is not to be confined to the Sacred Heart parish but any one in the city may enroll.

ROSALIE SEXTON OF STRATFORD WEDDED BY M. ANGELO GILL

St. James' Church Scene of
Attractive Ceremony
This Morning.

(Special to The Farmer.)

Stratford, Sept. 16.—One of the prettiest weddings of the year took place this morning at St. James' R. C. church when Miss Honoria Rosalie Sexton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Sexton of 1965 Stratford avenue, became the bride of Michael Angelo Gill of Clarence street, Bridgeport.

The nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Michael J. O'Connor. Miss Mildred Sexton, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and Michael Wynne, cousin of the bridegroom, was the best man. The bride was beautifully attired in an exquisite gown of white crepe de chine with overdruss of chiffon over which fell on the bridal veil caught on the hair with orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of white roses and lilies of the valley, with cascade of the bell shaped flower. The maid of honor was dressed in a gown of white crepe de chine with shadow lace. She wore a pink picture hat and carried Killarney roses.

Professor J. Francis Quinn, the organist, presided at the organ, playing the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin as the processional and Mendelssohn's Wedding March as the bride and groom left the church. During the marriage service Miss Catherine Russell rendered "O Promise Me." Following the ceremony the bridal party and the invited guests went to the home of the bride where a wedding breakfast was served.

Early this afternoon the couple left on their honeymoon trip to be spent at New York and Atlantic City. On their return they will reside at 731 Wood avenue, Bridgeport. They will be home after September 23.

A dance for the younger people will be given at the home this evening for about 40 couples having been invited.

Mrs. Leroy Lewis and Miss Emma Allen, both candidates for members of the board of education has tendered their resignations to Town Clerk Harold C. Lovell.

According to applications now on file with the registrars of voters, nearly 400 voters will be made. This is the largest number of new voters in the history of the town. With the 400 new voters, Stratford voting list will number about 1,500.

Bridgeport Swains Ride Cow Catcher In Effort to Get Home

Two Bridgeport young men, who tried to Stamford to call on sweethearts, may be interested in the following account of their adventures detailed by a Darien writer:

"Persons who were waiting for the train bound east at the local depot yesterday at 7:04, were surprised to see it pull in with two men sitting on each side of the cow-catcher. Smith happened to be near, and he attempted to advise the men for riding without permission and without payment of fare. He succeeded in capturing one, but the other eluded Hazzp, who has not been well for a few days, and was not, therefore, in good sprinting condition, by running down the track. A crowd of commuters joined in the pursuit, but the man escaped them by a ruse. He joined in the last 'Cable' car, as though he were pursuing someone ahead of him, and thus no one attempted to stop him, until he reached the water-tank toward Rowayton, when he left the track, and made his escape. In the afternoon, the man who was caught was arraigned before Justice Dance and fined \$2 and costs, upon pleading guilty. He gave his name as Albert Callaghan, of Bridgeport, and said that he and his companion had been calling on Stamford girls whose charms were so seductive that the young men lost the last train for their homes. They spent the night in or near the depot, and as their cash was also exhausted, they decided to try this novel way of traveling homeward. The young man had sent word to his brother in Bridgeport of his predicament, and expected the brother to pay the cash necessary to obtain his freedom."

FIRST GERMAN TOYS REACH PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Sept. 16.—The first cargo of German-made toys to arrive here this year was unloaded today from the Holland-American line steamer Zaandijk. There were 1,200 cases in the cargo and most of the toys were made by hand in the black forests of Germany. The Zaandijk arrived yesterday from Rotterdam.

FRENCH-ALGERIAN WAR HERO IS DEAD AT 95

Paris, Sept. 16.—The death is announced of Eugène Rolland, sole survivor of those who took part in the battle of Sidi Brahine in 1845 in the French war of Subjugation in Algeria. He was 95 years old and was decorated a few years ago with the medal of the legion of honor. President Poincaré attended a dinner given in his honor in February, 1914.

TURKO-BULGAR ACCORD TO BE RATIFIED SOON

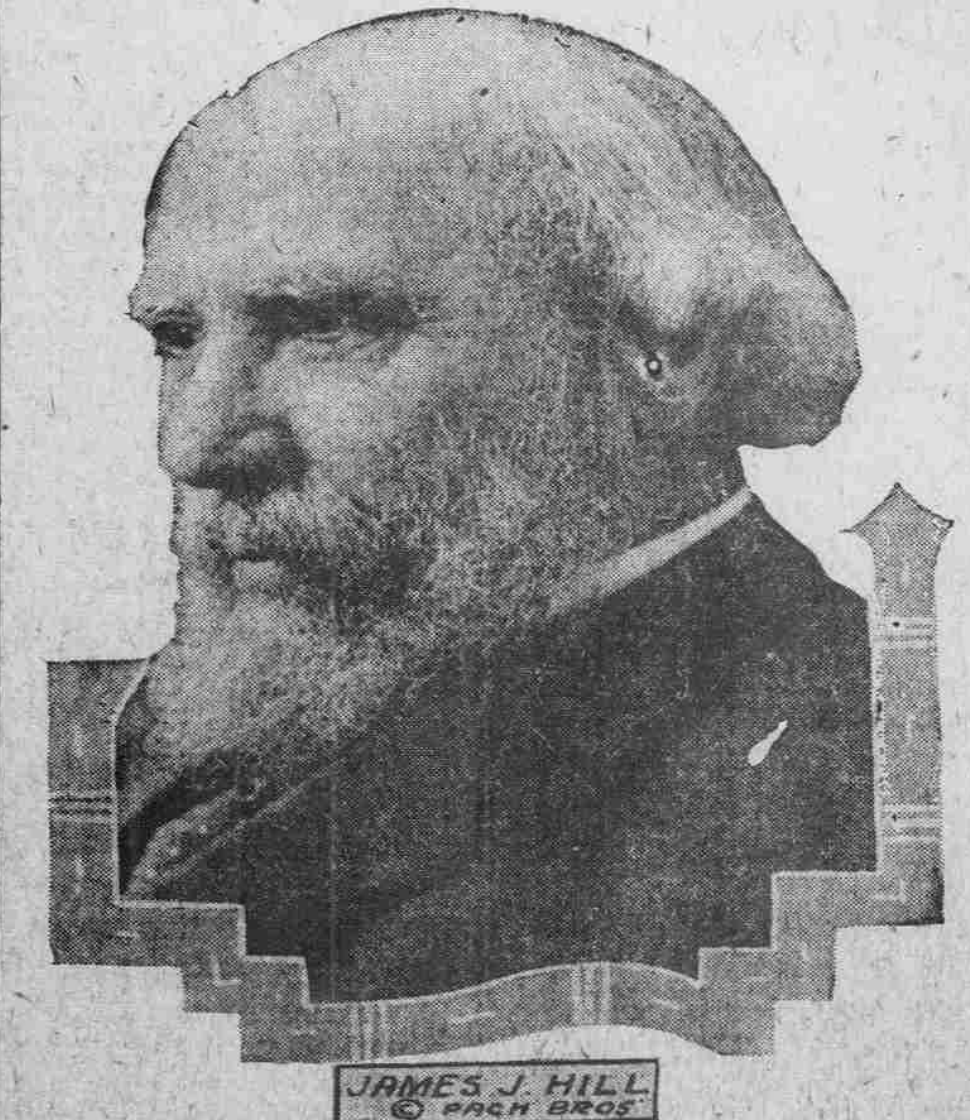
London, Sept. 16.—An imperial decree ratifying the Turko-Bulgarian accord will be issued Sept. 26, according to Constantinople advices received at Athens and transmitted by the correspondent of the Reuters Telegram Company. The new frontier, it is said, will be traced by German staff officers.

Press despatches from Bucharest state that the Turks already have begun to carry out the provisions of the Turko-Bulgarian agreement.

ACCOMMODATIONS AT TRADE SCHOOL OVERTAXED

Because of the influx here of young men anxious to learn the trade, and the number of ambitious native young men, more than 2,000 persons are looking for 280 places in the State Trade School, according to Superintendent James F. Johnson. How to accommodate them is a problem that is being discussed.

JAMES J. HILL SAYS BIG LOAN MUST APPEAL TO ALL BANKERS



Discussing the proposed loan of \$1,000,000,000 to the allies, James J. Hill, railroad builder and one of the financial geniuses of the country, said: "Any loan that is arranged must be a national loan. It must appeal to bankers all over the country. If a loan should be limited to war munitions and supplies, the country's exportable food-stuffs and provisions, there is every indication that the western banks, even in the smallest towns, will give it their heartiest support."

SEEKING DESTRUCTION OF LIVES AND PROPERTY, BLACK HANDERS SEND DYNAMITE THROUGH MAILS

Officials Find Sticks of Deadly
Explosive On Man in
County Jail.

WOULD DESTROY GIRL AND HER DEFENDERS

Post Office Department to Begin
Investigation of Parcel
Post Abuses.

Possessed of information emanating from Bridgeport that the survivors of the Black Hand gang are using the United States mails for sending dynamite from one city to another, Federal secret service men are expected to begin an investigation this week.

On the person of Severia Fulco, aged 55, held in the county jail here for assault with intent to murder, were found three sticks of deadly explosive, wrapped merely in a cloth bag. They had been sent by parcel post from Penn Argyle, Pa., to Brooklyn.

Fulco planned to use the dynamite to blow up the house of Lucia M. Deane, who is believed to be some time before there are men enough in the department to carry out this plan, even if the commissioners decide on it.

In the future the police will be asked to close the doors of fire alarm boxes they find open and to report those where the glass doors are broken. The apparatus at No. 4 steamer house has been motorized and it was voted to tear out the stables there.

Seimonowitz Bros., of 230 State street, will be asked to pay for straightening a pole at Main and Bank streets which their jitney bus struck and bent. Joseph Strickfus of No. 8 Steamer company, was given leave to withdraw his petition for two days' pay. He was absent from duty due to illness not contracted in the service.

Timothy McNamara, 82, of 74 Dover street, an electrician at the Locomotive Company of America, filed an application for appointment to the department.

Lieut. John T. Kane, of Steamer No. 1, was deprived of two of his four days off next month. On the night of September 3 he sent his company to Box 128 when the alarm came from Box 135. He pleaded guilty, saying he was over confident of the number of the box. He has been in the department 15 years and his previous record is clean.

JUDGE H. M. SOMERVILLE DEAD AT EDMERE, L. I.

New York, Sept. 16.—Judge Henderson M. Somerville, president of the National Board of Customs Appraisers, died at his summer home in Edmerville, L. I., today. He was born in Madison County, Virginia, 78 years ago.

Judge Somerville was associate justice of the Supreme court of Alabama from 1880 to 1890 and member of the Alabama Democratic state executive committee for eight years prior to 1880. He was for many years a lecturer on law in the University of Alabama, was formerly trustee of the Alabama Insure hospital, member of the state committee in lunacy and trustee of the Peabody Educational fund. He was a member of the American Academy of political and Social Science and has been president of the Alabama Society of New York for several years. His home was in this city, but burial will be at Tuscaloosa, Ala.

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Lovely new cretonnes—2 tone effects in Tapestry design, also light grounds with pink, blue or yellow figures. Can be used for many different purposes. 19c and 25c yd.

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TURKS REPORTED READY TO MOVE TO THE INTERIOR

London, Sept. 16.—Advices from Constantinople, according to the Athens correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company, are to the effect that all government financial institutions, such as the Ottoman Bank, are making preparations to move to the interior of Asia Minor. It has been learned from the same sources that because of the fear of an insurrection in the Turkish army all Turkish artillery soon will be placed in charge of Germans.

George Whitted Rounds Out Third Year In Major League

George B. Whitted, who has developed into a great outfielder with the Phillies this year, and who was utility man for the Boston world's champions last season, will round out his third year in fast company tomorrow. Whitted gained his first National League experience with the St. Louis Cardinals, with whom he made his debut on Sept. 12, 1912, in a game at Boston. On that occasion George covered third for the Cards, and had one out and two assists to his credit, besides getting a two-bagger off Tyler's delivery.

Whitted is a versatile player, and in his baseball career has covered nearly every position in both infield and outfield. He is a native of Durham, N. C., and had his first professional experience with the Wadesboro Independents, in his native State. In June, 1910, he joined the Savannah club in the South Atlantic league, and played eight games in the outfield, when he was released to Jacksonville, Fla. He covered that position until the latter part of the 1912 season, when he received a call to join the Cards. With the Cardinals he was cast for the utility role, and on occasion played third base, shortstop and the outfield position. In July of last year Whitted, with Cather, was swapped to the Braves for Hub Perdue, and worked in both the infield and outfield for the Braves.

It was a considerable disappointment to Whitted when he was canned by the world's champions, Stallings trading him to the Phillies for Sherwood Magee. Whitted buckled right down to work with the Phils, however, and he has been better this season than ever before. It is not too much to say that his work has played an important part in the great race made this year by Pat Moran's club. The wisest of managers make mistakes, and it begins to look as if Stallings had pulled a bone in getting rid of the fleet-footed, hard-hitting, quick-thinking and versatile Carolinian.

TORPEDO BOATS SUNK.

Turin, Italy, Sept. 16.—An Ancona despatch to the Stampa says: "The captain of the steamer Concettina reports that he was chased by the Austrian torpedo boat destroyers off the Gargano peninsula. An Italian submarine which approached suddenly engaged and sank the torpedo boats."

Auction Auction

READY TO MOVE
TO THE INTERIOR

A. Elwood
AUCTIONEER
Friday,
Sept. 17

1:30 P. M.

Tomorrow Friday is my opening of the New Auction Mart John St. and State St. Entrance next to Hall Carriage Shop. All under cover at 1:30 P. M. every Friday.

I have consigned for this Sale: Fancy Roan Cob Horse, Harness and Rubber Tire Runabout will be shown in harness, top wagons, business wagons, mules, 10 head of road using horses, surrey and a general line for this sale and every Friday. If you have anything you want sold call me on Telephone 5317-2. This sale is every Friday.

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A. Elwood

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280 FAIRFIELD AVE.
Tel. 5317-2

The cargo of 110,000 bushels of wheat that was sunk with the steamer Onoko in Lake Superior, was destined for England.

The will of A. G. Spalding, the sporting goods man, was filed for probate at San Diego, Cal. The bulk of his \$600,000 estate goes to his widow.

Paul Friedrich Meyerheim, the noted German artist, died in Berlin.